Exotic Quarks in Twin Higgs Models

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Twin Higgs serves as a good example of Neutral Naturalness, which sets an important challenge for the experimental searches (also see D. Curtin's talk)

On the other hand, a UV-completion is necessary for a calculable model

In this talk, we are going to

Study the Twin-Higgs UV-completion at colliders

Twin Higgs as solution to little hierarchy

Chacko, Goh, Harnik 05'

spontaneously

$$\langle H \rangle = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

fundamental under global SU(4)

break into SU(3), produce 7 NGB

$$(H_A, H_B)$$

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 Z₂ symmetry $\Lambda^2(H_A^\dagger H_A + H_B^\dagger H_B)$

gauge into SU(2)sm x SU(2)twin 1 uneaten GSB, SM Higgs

SU(4) symmetric, no quadratic divergence in Higgs mass

UV-sensitivity in the Higgs potential

Z2 invariant, but breaks the SU(4)

$$\sim \frac{3y_t^4}{16\pi^2} \log\left(\frac{\Lambda^2}{y_t^2|H_{A,B}|^2}\right) (|H_A|^4 + |H_B|^4)$$

Need a UV-completion to make things calculable!

Focusing on top, one possible extension (Chacko, Goh, Harnik 05')

Enlarge the global symmetry of top Yukawa to $SU(6) \times SU(4) \times U(1)$, and gauge $(SU(3)c \times SU(2) \times U(1))_{A,B}$

Requires new fermions charged under BOTH the SM & twin gauge group

Exotic-quarks

The extended Yukawa coupling: $y_t \left(H_A^{\dagger} \quad H_B^{\dagger} \right) Q \left(t_A \atop t_B \right)$

Appear in all the non-SUSY UV-completion models so far

Exotic-quarks

The extended Yukawa coupling: $y_t \left(H_A^{\dagger} \quad H_B^{\dagger} \right) Q \left(t_A \atop t_B \right)$

Can be produced at hadron colliders. Our focus in this talk.

Upper bound on the exo-quark mass

The log-divergent is regulated by the exo-quark mass

$$\sim \frac{3y_t^4}{16\pi^2} \log\left(\frac{M_{\tilde{q}}^2}{y_t^2|H_{A,B}|^2}\right) (|H_A|^4 + |H_B|^4)$$

The Higgs quartic coupling is sensitive to $\,M_{\hat{q}}$

To obtain the right Higgs mass and positive quartic coupling up to the cutoff scale (no other deeper vacuum exists)

$$M_{\tilde{q}_{A,B}} \sim 5 - 10 \,\mathrm{TeV}$$

Look for them at future collider experiments!

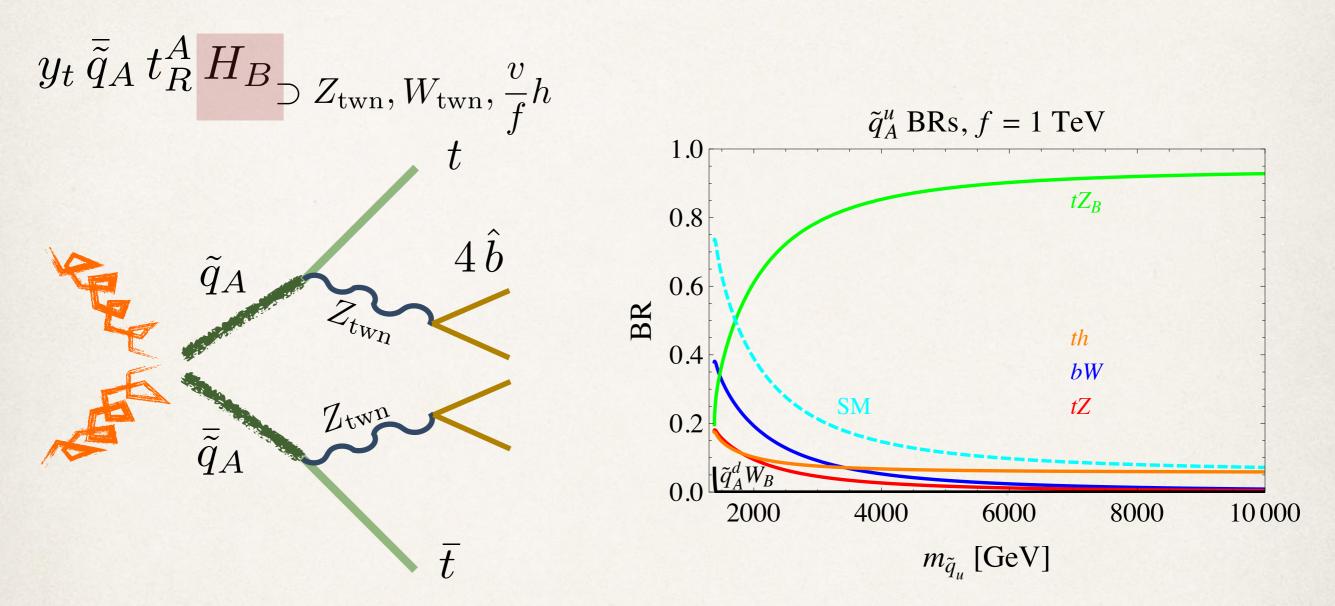
In this talk, we assume

Fraternal Twin-Higgs model

— third generation only

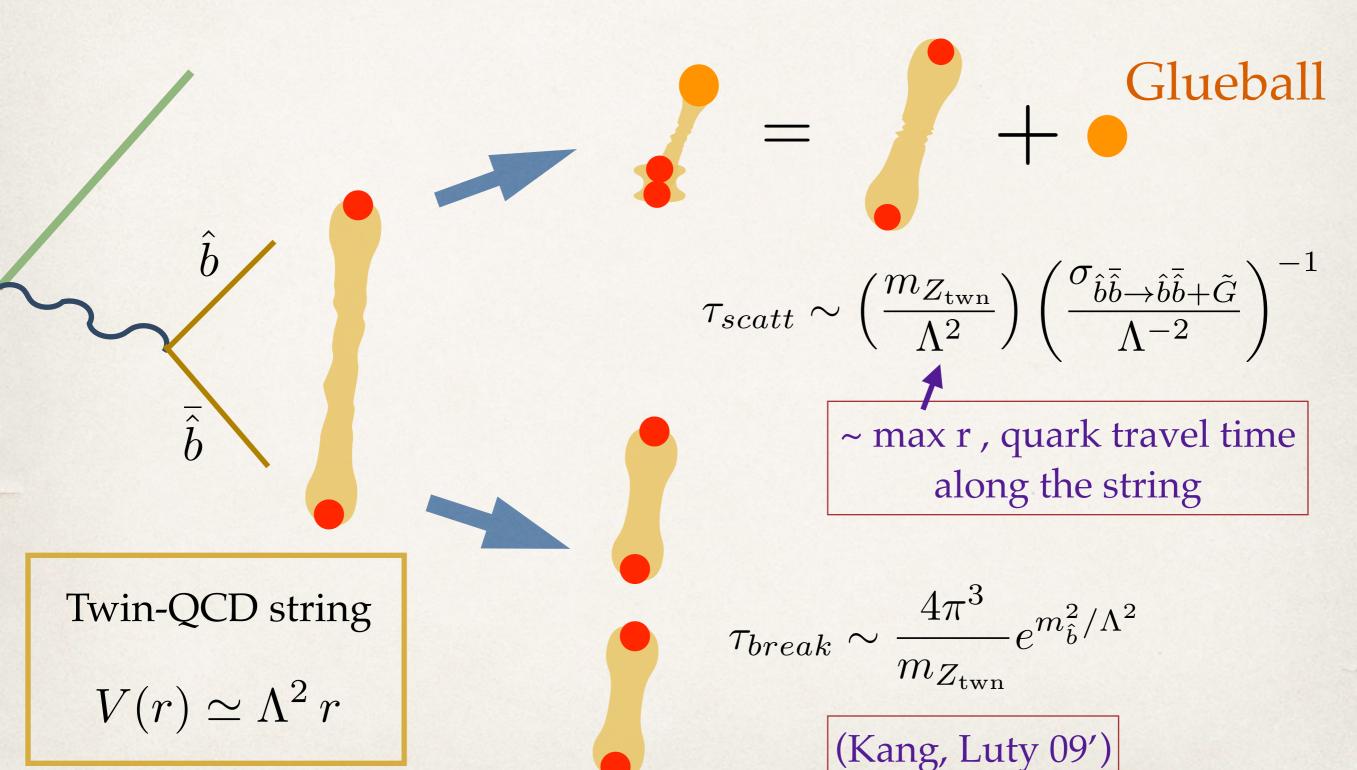
Heavy Twin-leptons
0++ bound states decay into SM

Exo-quark productin & decay

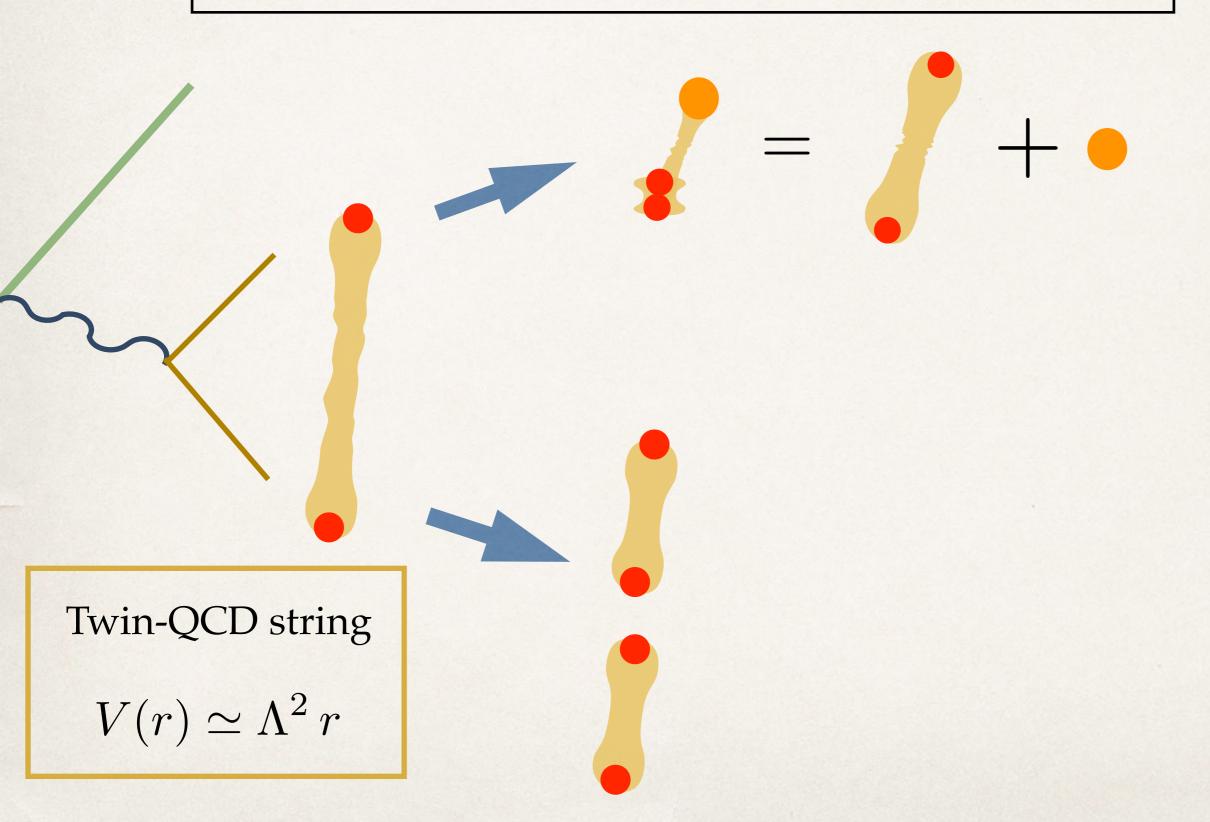


The $\,tar{t}\,$ can help to trigger the signal, making the displaced searches background free!

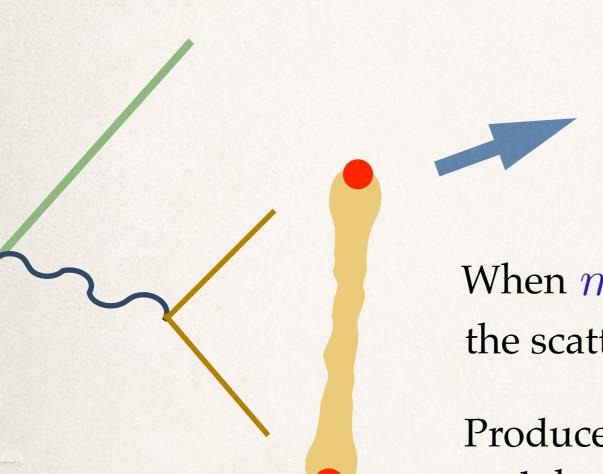
Twin-quark dynamics



For
$$f = 1 \,\mathrm{TeV}, \quad \Lambda = 5 \,\mathrm{GeV}$$



Glueball-dominated signals



When $m_{\hat{b}} > \sim 18 \, \mathrm{GeV}$ Glueball dominates the scattering process is much faster

Produce ~ 6 glueballs (soft-emission estimation), and the 0^{++} has a displaced decay into SM $b\bar{b}$ through the Higgs mixing

$$c\tau_{0^{++}} \simeq 1 \mathrm{cm} \left(\frac{5 \,\mathrm{GeV}}{\Lambda}\right)^7 \left(\frac{f}{1 \,\mathrm{TeV}}\right)^4$$

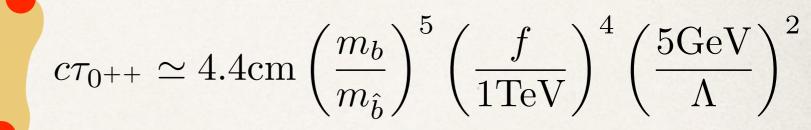
Twin-QCD string

$$V(r) \simeq \Lambda^2 r$$

Bottomonium-dominated signals

When $m_{\hat{b}} < 9 \, \mathrm{GeV}$ B-onium dominates the scattering process is much faster

Produce ~ 8 mesons (simple string breaking model) and the 0^{++} has a displaced decay into SM through the Higgs mixing



Twin-QCD string

$$V(r) \simeq \Lambda^2 r$$



More energetic mesons than non-relativistic description. The same derivation gives a good approximation of the $\psi(4415)$ width

A cosmological connection to the collider search

For the three lightest B-onium 0^{-+} , 1^{--} , 0^{++}

1 — decay through a loop-induced kinetic mixing

$$c\tau_{1--} \simeq 1 \,\mathrm{cm} \left(\frac{m_{A'}}{100 \,\mathrm{GeV}}\right)^4 \left(\frac{5 \,\mathrm{GeV}}{\Lambda}\right)^2 \left(\frac{5 \,\mathrm{GeV}}{m_{\hat{b}}}\right)^3 \left(\frac{10^{-3}}{\epsilon}\right)^2$$

$$1$$
 A' $ilde{q}_{A,B}$ $ilde{Z}_{\mathrm{SM}}$ SM

A cosmological connection to the collider search

For the three lightest B-onium 0^{-+} , 1^{--} , 0^{++}

$$0 - +$$

No direction mediation, can decay through anomaly with two off-shell dark photons

The life time is long (> BBN time), and can cause cosmological problems

Want to have the 1^{--} life time to be short enough, so the 0^{-+} can deplete its density before BBN

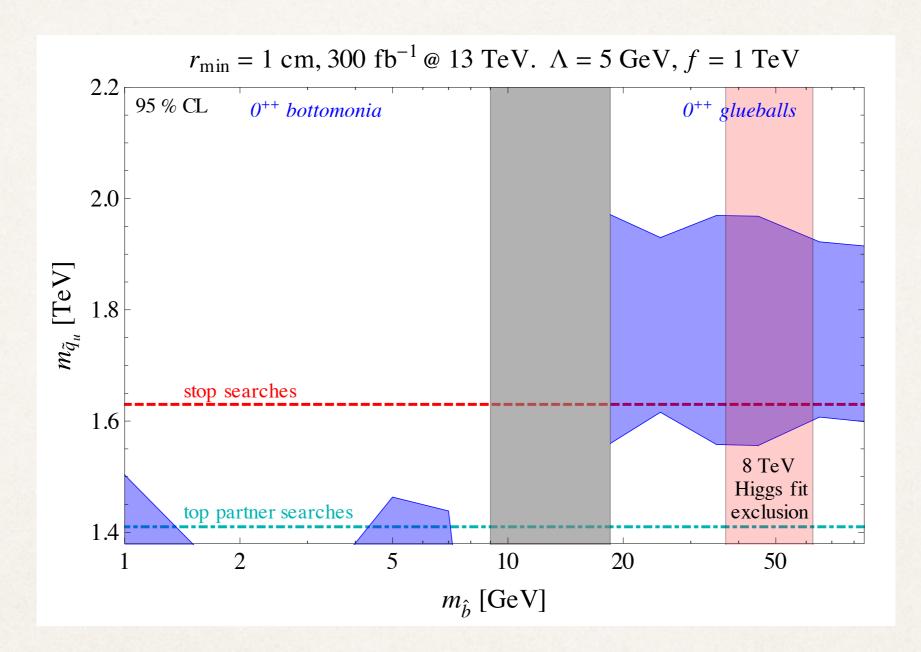
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To reduce the 0^{-+} density for not disturbing BBN, we need $\tau_{1^{--}} < 10^{-9}\,\mathrm{sec}$, so the decay should happen ''inside" the detector

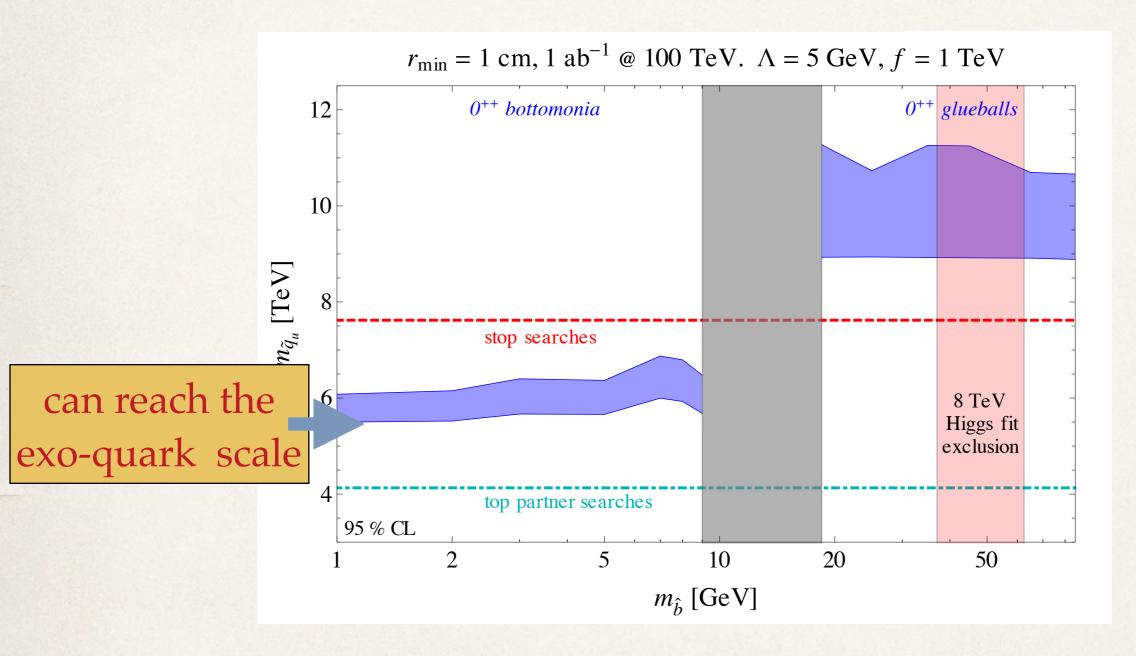
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The reach @ 13 TeV LHC

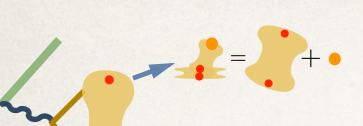


Glueball: (upper) at least one 0++ is produced, (lower) equally distributed d.o.f. among all the three-lightest glueballs. B-onium: (upper) equally distributed d.o.f. among $0 \le \ell \le 1$ states, (lower) among $0 \le \ell \le 2$. H-fit exclusion: bound from the invisible H-decay. stop/top-partner search: PDF rescaling

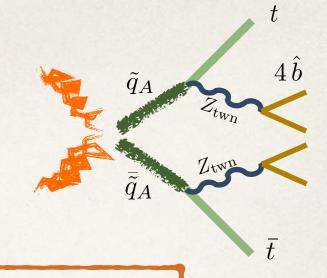
The reach @ 100 TeV collider



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Conclusion



Exotic-quark gives distinct signatures for various Twin-Higgs UV-completions

Signals: displaced decays $+t\bar{t}$, plus stop-like signals, can reach the expected mass range at 100 TeV collider

Twin-strong dynamics: may be described by the string models

Cosmology constraints: can provide complimentary bounds to collider searches